

Senate Study Bill 1006 - Introduced

SENATE FILE _____
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE
ON JUDICIARY BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON SODDERS)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the confidentiality of audio recordings used
2 by shorthand reporters.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 22.7, Code 2015, is amended by adding the
2 following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 68. An audio recording used by a shorthand
4 reporter certified pursuant to chapter 602 to verify the
5 accuracy of a transcript.

6	EXPLANATION
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7 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
8 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

9 This bill provides that an audio recording which is a public
10 record and which a certified shorthand reporter uses to verify
11 the accuracy of a transcript is to be kept confidential, unless
12 otherwise ordered by a court, by the lawful custodian of the
13 record, or by another person duly authorized to release such
14 recording.